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Applicant: Daniel S. Papenfuss, et al. Art Unit: 1794

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being submitted to the United States Patent and Trademark Office via EFS-Web on July 21, 2009 by Christine E. Parsons.

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## AMENDMENT AND REQUEST UNDER 37 CFR §1.48(c) TO CORRECT INVENTORSHIP IN A PATENT APPLICATION, OTHER THAN A REISSUE APPLICATION, PURSUANT TO 35 U.S.C §116

This amendment and request is to correct inventorship in Application No. 10/689,478.

In particularly, applicant requests that the following two individuals be added as inventors:

Amy Lynn Kraimer 718 Grant Avenue Omro, Wisconsin 54963

Sam Edward Wuest 45 Castle Court Oshkosh, Wisconsin 54902

The original Declaration and Power of Attorney executed by Inventors Papenfuss and Hartman on October 17, 2003 correctly set forth the inventorship at that time. The addition of Inventors Kraimer and Wuest is necessitated by the May 13, 2009 amendment of the

claims of the above-referenced application; this May 13, 2009 amendment included claim amendments for previously unclaimed but disclosed subject matter.

Therefore, with the above addition, applicant requests that the amended list of inventors for Application No. 10/679,478 read as follows:

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Amy Lynn Kraimer 718 Grant Avenue Omro, Wisconsin 54963

Sam Edward Wuest 45 Castle Court Oshkosh, Wisconsin 54902

In accordance with 37 CFR §1.48(c), this amendment and request includes

- the above request to correct the inventorship that sets forth the desired inventorship change;
- a statement from each person being added as an inventor that the addition is necessitated by the May 13, 1009 amendment of the claims and that the inventorship error occurred without deceptive intent on his or her part;
- a declaration signed by each actual inventor as required by 37 CFR §1.63, and a power of attorney signed by each actual inventor;
- (4) the processing fee of \$130.00 as set forth in 37CFR §1.17(i); please charge deposit account number 502023 in the amount of \$130 for the processing fee, with any deficiency or overpayment being charged or credited to the abovenumbered deposit account;
- (5) the written consent of the assignee, supported by a Statement Under 37 CFR3.73(b) and supporting documentation (i.e., a copy of an Assignment from

Milprint, Inc. to Bemis Company, Inc. and a copy of an Assignment from Inventors

Kraimer and Wuest to Bemis Company, Inc.).

If there are any questions regarding this amendment and request, the Examiner may contact the applicant via applicant's attorney at (920) 303-7970.

Respectfully submitted,

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